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If They Really Wanted all the Dillingers

Jesse James and Robin Hood were not of John Dillinger's type, for they had virtues along with their sins. To date, Dillinger has no entries on the credit side of the ledger.

It is a definite challenge to a great people, that a small town crook suddenly gets bigger than the entire law-enforcing agencies of the nation. Doubtless, sooner, or later, all the Dillingers will be captured--but The Times-Virginian offers a suggestion--the way to do away with Dillingers is to halt them before they get started.

And that can only be done by taking their arsehels from them. It is nothing short of a national scandal of the first rank, that the criminal class of people in this nation is more highly and effectively armed today than is the entire United States army! A nation that is disposed to give the criminal machine guns, shot - guns, rifles, pistols and unlimited supply of munitions, has no kick coming when that same criminal holds up a bank, kidnaps and kills an innocent child or terrorizes the countryside.

Congress and the President are reported to be working on legislation that will thwart the crime wave. Well, there is only one way to thwart it. And that is to enforce a new law---a law making it punishable by at least ten years, with no time off for good behavior, in the pen for possession of firearms of legislation, accompanied with laws which would make it virtually impossible for any ne to procure a gun.

Canned Foods in The Antarcti

WONDER what Admiral Byrd and his men are doing down below there in the Antarctic. They say that time hangs pretty heavily on their hands occasionally, but there is one man in the expedition about whose activities one can make a pretty fair guess. That man is George Tenant, the cook of the expedition, who was also the cook at the time of Byrd's last trip. Of course the expeditions take long tons of all sorts of food supplies, but their main reliance on the last trip was on canned food. They took along on that occasion two hundred and sixty cases of canned vegetables, two hundred and twenty-four cases of canned fruit and many other miscellaneous canned foods supplies.

Turkeys, for instance brought frozen from home were served on Thanksgiving and Christmas with canned cranberries, and canned chicken a la king was a great delicacy which he frequently served on toast for breakfast.

Antarctic Ice Cream

But when the men called for ice cream, that was Tenant's opportunity to distinguish himself. He had brought along five hundred and forty cans of condensed, evaporated and powdered milk, and he solved this problem simply by thawing out some evaporated milk, mixing it with equal parts of snow, adding sugar and flavoring, and setting it outside. Then he reached out frequently to give it a stir. And in about five minutes of 70-degree-below-zero weather he had ice cream."

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Solution of Last Wee's Puzzle

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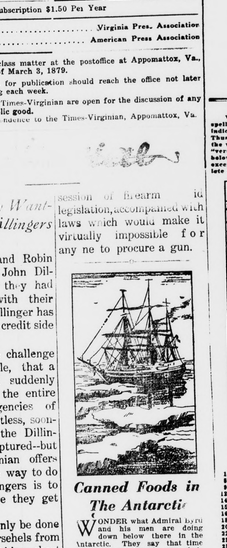
HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number. The number refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "Horizontal" defines a word which will fit into the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under the column headed "Vertical" defines a word which will fit like white squares in the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definition.



Horizontal.

1—Two-wheeled vehicle
5—French
10—Distant
12—Cognizant
14—Also
15—Fuss
16—Kind of nut (pl.)
18—Wicker container
19—Kind of duck
20—Vessels
22—To condemn
25—The point
27—Shill
28—Before (poetic)
30—Accessory for loading old-fashioned bowling piece (pl.)
31—Part of to be
33—To occupy a chair
34—Same as 28 horizontal
35—Three-toed sloth
36—Hastened
38—Burial vase
39—Watering place
41—Skill
42—Insects
45—To break down, as an auto
46—Distributed
48—To swerve
49—Low, coarse
50—Part of to be
52—Drunkard
53—Gods of India
54—Carmine
55—To halt
56—Sting?

Vertical.

1—Bottle top
2—Reverential fear
3—A type of simple indeterminists inforescence with flowers attached at intervals
4—String of cars
6—That thing
7—Crowd
8—Serpents
9—East Indian mendicants
10—One well versed
11—Decays
12—Carmelina
17—Member of one house of congress
18—To darken
21—Alcoholic beverage
23—Quality
24—Branch
26—Grower
29—River (Spanish)
30—Ordinance (abbr.)
31—Pointed piece of wire (pl.)
32—Weighing instrument
35—Skill
36—Accorded mercy
37—Boy's name
38—To unbind
39—To gaze fixedly
41—Photograph book
43—Mark left by wound
44—Gems
45—Atmosphere
47—Negative
48—Meadow
50—Lair

Solution will appear in next issue.

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THE HEN-MAN

By R. H. WILKINSON

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THERE exists in America a certain type of person who, born and raised in a city apartment, possesses what is known in the vernacular as a yen to own a small place in the country, firmly believing that he can buy a few chickens, raise a few vegetables and live there, commuting to and from his metropolitan job, for about one-third the cost of existence in his city apartment.

This is a splendid idea, especially that part about living one-third as cheaply as in the city.

It has its other advantages, too.

There is, for example, the matter of fresh air, fresh dairy products, plenty of space to move around in, freedom from the hustle and bustle of city life.

It's a pity that the plan hasn't, can't and never will be developed profitably.

I mean the moving-to-the-country boug.

Steve Bolton was attacked by the bug.

Steve had become fed up on city life.

He was a bachelor, young and handsome, and was never chasing about from party to tes to dinner, to theater, or any other of the dozen places where handsome and eligible young bachelors are welcomed.

Steve was fed up.

He wanted a breath of fresh air; he wanted to get up with the sun, drink in the crisp morning air, tend to the chickens and catch the 7:50 train to town and his broker's office.

He wanted to spend his evenings weated comfortably before a cozy fire, get in some good reading, go to bed at nine o'clock and sleep the sleep of the just.

Also, he wanted to economize.

The cost of living in town wasn't giving Steve much of an opportunity to save for rainy days.

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This plan of Steve's was aweil. Too bad it couldn't work.

Steve talked the idea over with Jim McDevitt.

Jim had tried the same thing once, but for some unknown reason was back in his city apartment.

Jim approved of Steve's idea without a moment's hesitation.

"Great scheme. You'll like it, Steve, out there. Fine way to live. Fact is, I'll have the missus buy her eggs from you. You can bring them in every morning. Help you get started."

Steve's dreams soared.

He pictured himself laying aside a tidy sum from the profits on his eggs.

Good scout, Jim.

Steve also called on Rus Whitcomb. Itus and his wife had tried the living-in-the-country idea, too.

And Rus, like Jim, approved and applauded.

Sure, he'd buy all the eggs Steve could raise.

Fresh eggs from the country! Boy, nothing could be better.

Later that same night Jim McDevitt called Rus Whitcomb on the telephone and the two of them held a gleeful conversation.

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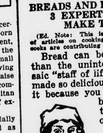
In the Kitchen with 6 Famous Cooks

BREADS AND BISCUITS AS 3 EXPERT COOKS MAKE THEM

(EZ. Note: This is one of a series of articles on cooking which a number of cooks are contributing to this paper.)

Bread can be much more than the uninteresting, prosaic "staff of life." It can be made so delicious that you eat it because you want to, not because you think you ought to.



MRS. SARAH T. RORER

Famous cooks have unearthed many delicious bread and biscuit recipes from various parts of the country for you. Follow their recipes for pleasing variety in breads.

Easy Bran Muffins

Mrs. Rorer, the Philadelphia cooking expert, recommends her bran muffins for breakfast. "They are not only delicious, but healthful," she adds. "Eat them for breakfast and you will be saying into 'a bran muffin a day keeps the doctor away.' It would hold just as true.

"These muffins are easily made," she affirms. "Sour milk, add a cup of milk, half a teaspoon salt, one tablespoonful sugar, and one tablespoonful melted butter. Sift one cupful fine wheat bran, level, a spoon baking powder, and bake in a hot oven, in greased gem pans for 20 minutes."

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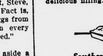
Nuts for Nourishment

Mrs. Rorer has a very appetizing and nourishing nut bread, too. Here's how to make it:

Chop enough pecans to make a half cupful. Put two cupfuls flour in a bowl, add one teaspoon of baking powder, half a teaspoon salt, and two tablespoonfuls of sugar and sift. Mix in the nuts. Beat one egg, add one cupful of milk, and stir into the flour. Beat well and turn into a greased bread pan.

Let stand 10 minutes. Light oven 5 minutes before bread is light. Bake half an hour at medium heat. Raisins may be substituted for nuts.

Nut bread makes very good sandwiches if spread with butter. Cream cheese may also be used for a simple, delicious filling.



Southern Corn Bread

Corn bread, that favorite of the South, is another nutritious change from the every-day white bread. Made with the recipe of Miss Lena Michaelis, famous New Orleans cook, it is a welcome part of any meal.

Here are the ingredients:

2 cups cornmeal
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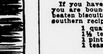
1 ta tnaspoons salt
2 eggs
1 tablespoonfula baking powder
2 tablespoonfuls shortening
2 cups water (or milk, or the two mixed)

Sift corn meal, salt, sugar, and baking powder together. Add water or milk. Add yolks of eggs and shortening which has been heated. Fold in stiffly beaten whites of eggs. Put into a hot greased pan, and bake in hot oven. This can be served with butter or with syrup.

Real Beaten Biscuits

If you have a patient plant arm, you are bound to make successful beaten biscuits. This is another of Miss Michaelis'.

1 qt. sifted flour
1 tablespoonful of lard
1 pint of milk
1 teaspoon salt



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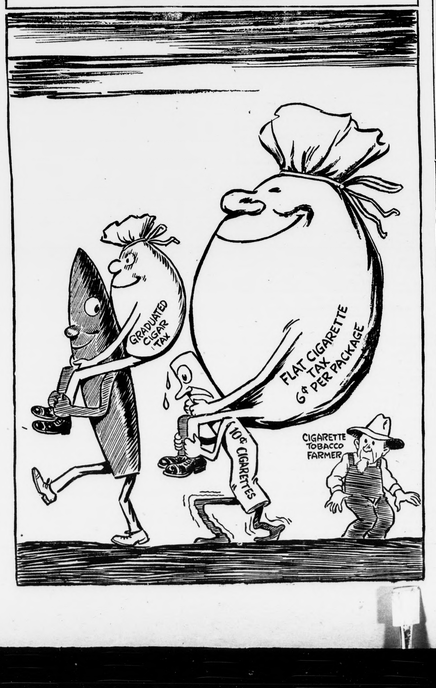

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Lesson for May 6

JESUS ACCLAIMED AS KING

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 21:1-46.
GOLDEN TEXT—Wherefore God also hath highly exalted him, and given him a name which is above every name.—Phil. 2:9.
PRIMARY TOPIC—When Children Sang to Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus the Saviour-King.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Loyalty to Jesus, Our King.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Acknowledging the Lordship of Jesus.

The picture presented in this chapter is a very dark one. The common designation "Triumphal Entry" is most unfortunate, for it was not such in appearance. Back of the cry "Hosanna" was being formed the awful cry "Crucify Him." It may be possible that the awful word "Crucify" was uttered by some of the same persons who cried "Hosanna."

I. The Preparation (vv. 1-6).

1. The disciples sent (vv. 1-3). Jesus told them just where to go to find it and how to answer the inquiry of the one who owned it. This shows how perfectly Jesus knew our ways.

2. The fulfillment of prophecy (vv. 4, 5). Some five hundred years before Zechariah made this prediction (Zech. 9:9). Christ's coming in this way was in exact fulfillment of this prophecy. This is highly instructive to those who would understand as yet unfulfilled prophecies. The prediction of Zechariah 14:3-11 will be just as literally fulfilled as that of Zechariah 9:9.

3. The obedience of the disciples (v. 6). The request was not answered unreasonable, but they obeyed.

II. The Entrance of the King (vv. 7-11).

1. The disciples put their garments upon the ass and set the Lord thereupon (v. 7). This act showed their recognition of him as their king (II Kings 9:13).

2. The action of the multitude (vv. 8, 9). Some spread their garments in the way; others who had no garments to spare cut down branches and did the same with them.

3. The city awakened (vv. 10, 11). It was a stirring time in Jerusalem, but a more stirring time awaits that city. This will take place when the Lord returns to the earth in power.

III. The King Rejected (vv. 12-16). The immediate occasion of this rejection was the cleansing of the temple. A similar cleansing had been made some two years before (John 2:13-17), but the worldlings had gone back to their old trade. Exchange was not in itself wrong, but doing it for gain was wrong.

IV. The Nation Rejected by the King (vv. 17-46).

Having shown their unwillingness to receive Christ as their king when offered to them, the king now turns from them and makes known their awful condition in parables.

1. The barren fig tree cursed (vv. 17-22). It was on the morning after the official presentation as he was returning from Jerusalem that Jesus observed the unfruitful fig tree. He was conscious of hunger he sought for figs and cause of hunger, but finding none, he caused to fall upon the tree a withering curse. The barren fig tree is a type of Israel. With its leaves it gave a show of life, but being destitute of fruit it had no right to cumber the ground. The nation thus stood as a mountain in the way of the gospel. Jesus encouraged the disciples by showing that if they had faith even this great mountain could not stand in their way.

2. The parable of the two sons (vv. 28-32). Both sons are told by the father to work in the vineyard. The one, like the profligate publican, refused outright to obey but afterwards repented and went; the other professed a willingness to obey but really did not. The first one represents the publicans and harlots; the second, the proud and self-righteous Pharisees, the priests and elders. Jesus declared the publicans and harlots would go into the kingdom before them.

3. The parable of the householder (vv. 33-40).

a. The householder. This was God himself.

b. The vineyard. This means Israel (Isa. 5:1-7; Jer. 2:21; Ps. 80:9).

c. The husbandmen. These were the spiritual guides, the rulers and teachers of Israel.

d. The servants sent for the fruit of the vineyard. These were the various prophets whom God sent.

e. The son sent by the householder. This was the Lord Jesus Christ. They knew him to be the son, but they did not show him reverence. They cast him out of the vineyard and slew him.

Why Get Up Nights?

Drink lots of water and milk. Not much tea or coffee. Eat plenty of Not much meat and starches. Use a bladder laxative to drive out the impurities and excess acids which cause the irritation that wakes you up. Take Juniper oil, buchu leaves, etc. called Bu-Ketu (5 gr. tablets) the bladder laxative. 25c at all druggists. Works on bladder similiar to castor oil on the bowels. After four days if not satisfied, go back and get your money. If you are bothered, frequent desire, burning getting up nights, you are bound to feel better after this cleansing.

Chas. F. James, Druggist

Appomattox, Va.

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So old Steve had got the bug, eh? Well, let him find out for himself.

Won't do him any harm to get stung. He'd never rest till he got the craving out of his system anyhow.

Besides, it was comforting to know there were other fish grabbing at that same live-cheaply-in-the-country bait.

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On the following Sunday, Steve chartered a drive-your-own car and motored out to the country.

Along toward mid-afternoon he chanced upon a little place in the town of Melvale that seemed to suit his exact purpose.

There was a white house with green blinds and a picket fence around the front lawn, in which a half dozen shade trees reared themselves.

Behind the house there was a barn, several outbuildings and a rather large henery.

The place was not more than a 15 minute ride from the railroad station, yet its remoteness from the traveled highway was far enough to make it secluded.

Steve hunted up the owner and was astonished and delighted to discover the place could be rented for less than one-half of what he was paying at his present apartment.

He sewed the thing up at once by making a substantial deposit and signing a six months' lease.

A month later Steve was established in his new abode and tremendously happy.

Two dozen Rhode Island Red chickens clucked contentedly in the henery.

Wood was stacked ceiling high in the barn.

Shrubs had begun to flower and the shade trees were bursting forth their leaves.

Ah, yes, Steve was far happier than he ever dreamed he could be.

He was going to bed early, getting up early, tending to his chickens and a good deal about the hen business.

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After the first week Steve carried with him each morning a half dozen nice fresh eggs and proudly handed them to Jim and Rus when he reached the office.

Jim and Rus received them solemnly and praised him highly for his success and winked broadly behind his back.

Along about the first of May, Steve's hens, or most of them, stopped laying.

After failing to make any headway himself, he consulted a neighbor and was told that the biddies were at this time of year usually interested in raising a family.

Steve thought this was great. He went home, gathered together all his spare eggs and put five of his hens to set.

The others he locked up in a barren anteroom to "break up" their family raising notions.

At the end of two weeks eight of the three dozen eggs Steve had set, hatched.

The young man was jubilant.

He promptly telephoned his neighbor, to display the result of his breeding efforts, and was told that five of the eight chicks were roosters, which wasn't so good.

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It was about this time that monthly bills began to arrive at the hen farm, and after an evening spent in intensive figuring Steve discovered that the cost of electric lights, cooking gas, telephone and other incidentals of livelihood was quite as much, if not more, than the cost of the same conveniences in town.

It was two days after this that Steve learned, much to his disappointment, that the "fresh" cream, milk and butter which he had been having left at his door each morning were shipped out of Boston on the night previous and distributed in the country by a chain dairy products company.

Augmenting these startling revelations, Steve came to the conclusion that getting up with the sun every morning wasn't such a swell idea, especially if it happened to be a rainy day or if the air wasn't bracing because of the humidity.

He found also that the long, quiet evenings were more or less palling once you got used to them, and that a month of reading had brought him up to date on current literature.

In fact, Steve began to know a longing for a fling at city life, for an evening at a night club or trip to the theater or a gay dinner party.

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Startlingly, he discovered that, after all, farming was a business, and unless you devoted your entire time to it, it was pretty difficult to make it pay.

Which, incidentally, when you look at the thing squarely, is quite true of almost any business.

To add to all this, Steve one day awoke to the fact that Jim and Rus, who had had their fling of commuting from the country, were giving him what is known as the merry ha, ha. They had, in a manner of speaking, put up a job on him.

They wanted to see him get stung.

And when he finally admitted that this country idea was a lot of bilge they would be all set to enjoy the situation with crude and raucous guffaws.

This knowledge was disturbing.

And in the end he vowed to foil the instigators of the joke, and turn, if possible, the tables.

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Thus minded, Steve on the day following brought as usual his half dozen fresh eggs to the conniving rascals who posed as friends and advisers, suggesting on delivery that, in view of the fact that eggs were scarce these days and because these from Melvale were strictly fresh, the recipients of the daily half dozen pay a little more than the amount asked at the corner delicatessen for less fresh hen fruit.

Jim and Russ agreed readily enough.

Of course, fresh eggs were worth more money.

What was more, they were eager and anxious to give Steve a helping hand.

A week later Steve moved back to his city apartment and with a great feeling of relief settled once more into the comfortable routine to which he was accustomed.

But each morning for six months thereafter he paused at the corner chain store en route to the office, purchased two one-half dozen boxes of eggs at 20 cents the half dozen, and later sold them to Jim and Rus for 30 cents.

Which explains why, in the early fall, when Jim and Rus, puzzled over Steve's continued success as a hen man, motored one day to the little white house in Melvale (the same house, incidentally, which first one and then the other had occupied during their own venture in the egg-raising business) they discovered that Steve had quitted the place six months previous, and were prone not to guffaw when next they encountered the would-be hen-man, but merely to chuckle in good fellowship fashion and vow with him to warn all others against the live-in-the-country bug when it attacked friends and neighbors of the city.

Stonewall

Stonewall, May 2.- Mr. and Mrs. Keeling Slasin and family, of Richmond visited Mrs. G. F. Jennings last week.

Miss Clarnce Moore spent part of last week with relatives in Lynchburg.

O. R. Steeves has returned to his home in Roanoke after spending some time with his daughter, Mrs. P. B. Stratton, here.

Mrs. C. J. Harding visited her son, Mr. Walker, in Lynchbrg last week. He has been sick for the past several months.

Carl Lloyd, of Raleigh, N. C. visited relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Perrow and children, of Sherville, spent Sunday with her father, R. F. Moore.

Mrs. Ora King, of Lynchburg, spent Sunday with parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. King.

Mrs. Lula Morgan ,of Appomattox, is now making her home with her son, C. D. Carson here.

Miss Hazel Taylor has returned home after visiting relatives in Richmond.

Miss Hazel Martin, of Roanoke, spent the week-end with Miss Dorine Martin.

Spout Spring

Spout Spring, May 2.- The B. Y. P. U. will sponsor a lawn party at the Spout Spring school on May 5, beginning at 6 o'clock.

Miss Inabeth Robertson spent the week-end in Richmond.

Misses Mamie Cullop, Mary West and Vara Morris spent Sunday with Miss Wes's sister at Shipman.

Misses Frances Coleman, Lucy Chick and Virginia Holt spent Thursday in Lynchburg.

Berkeley Haley has accepted a posotion in Lynchburg.

Mrs. S. W. Alvis is sick.

Richard Smith spent the week end at his home here.

Miss Dorothy Reynolds is suffering with an infected finger.

HIXBURG

Hixburg, May 2.- Joseph W. Davis passed away on Tuesday morning, April 24, in the 82nd year of his age. Mr. Davis was well and favorably known and will be greatly missed. The following grandsons were pallbearers: Stuart and Bennne Coleman, Alfred Davis, Jr., John and Edgar Covington, J. H. McCue, Logan Ligon, N. R. Featherston, Frank Irving, R. L. Burke, Willie Elam, William, Bascomb Price and J. D. Carter. There were many beautiful floral designs.

The following children survive: Alfred Davis, J., Wilbur Davis, Shirley Davis, Harry Davis, of Wood, Virginia; Mrs. L. T. Davis, of Lynchburg, and Mrs. J. F. Coleman, of Elam, and three step-children, James E. Gray, of Richmond, W. R. Gray, of Mt. Hope West Virginia; and Mrs. J. R. Fore, of Pamplin.

Those attending the funeral from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Gray, of Mt. Hope, W. Va., Mrs. A. B. Davis, Mrs. H. P. Davis, Mrs. J. R. Fore, Pamplin, and Mrs. J. R. Charlton, Travis Davis, of Wood, Virginia; Mr. A. Clark, Lemon and Vernon Foster, of Roanoke, Mrs. L. T. Davis, Mrs. J. B. Atwood, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Engledove, Mrs. Gayle, of Lynchburg Mrs. J. Wilbur Davis of Harrisonburg; Mrs. James E. Gray of Richmond; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coleman, of Crewe; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lewis, of Toga; Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Crowe, Mr and Mrs. Dave Wood, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Charlton, Mrs S. B Pearson, Mrs R. B. Spencer, of Dillwyn.

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The deceased has gone to his reward for a long and useful life. Dr. R. N. Pleasants, of Huntington, W. Va. joined his wife here Sunday and will spend a few days in Richmond before returning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fore and Miss Lou Covington were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Rogers of Appomattox recently.

Mrs. Hugh B. Swan, of Bluefield W. Va. spent several days of last week in the home of her brother C. H. Wilcox.

Mrs. Galenhouse spent several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. P. H. McPhillips.

Mrs. Fannie Marshall has returned home after spending sometime with relatives in Farmville, Cumberland, and Powhatan.

Willie Hix thas taken a lot of young mule colts to graze on his blue grass lot.

Beckham

Beckham, May 2.- A large crowd attended the fifth Sunday Institute at Trinity church Sunday evening. J. Z. King, who is president, had charge of the services. Besides the pastor, those taking part in the program were: Miss Mildred Kelly and Rev. W. M. Thompson, of Appomattox, and C. F. Moore, of Mt. Comfort church. The attendance banner was awarded to Bethel Sunday School. The next meeting of the institute will be at Bethel on the fifth Sunday in July.

Miss Hazel Martin and brother, of Roanoke, were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Martin, and while here they called in the homes of Mrs. H. O. Martin and Mrs. Joe Martin.

Mrs. Carlton Harvey and son, of Six Mile Bridge spent several days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moore.

Mrs. Alberta Burge went with her son, H. E. Burge to Petersburg last week, where she will spend some time visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Masan and others.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Winston Martin is able to be out again. She spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joel Morris, of Stapleton.

Miss Nellie tTures, of S. T. C., Farmville, spent the week-end with Miss Lorraine Martin.

Mrs. C. A. Moore, who has been on the sick list for sometime, is reported as improving.

Mrs. E. C. Martin, who spent last week in Lynchburg with her son, W. A. Martin, has returned home.

Mrs. A. F. Drinkard spent last Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Mays

Mrs. H. R. Moore, who has been ill for several weeks was able to attend church Sunday.

Mrs. Joel Morris and son, Robert, Mrs. Winston Martin, Mrs. Evan Ferguson, and son, David, of Stapleton were guests last Wednesday of Mrs. T. M. Martin.

Mrs. Robert Martin spent several days last week at Oakhurst in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Martin.

A large crowd gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Drinkard last Thursday night to celebrate the twenty first anniversary of their son, Melvin. Games were played and music and refreshments enjoyed. The honoree received many useful presents, and everyone enjoyed the occasion.

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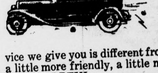

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